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TO:

Lowell P. Braxton, Director

THRU:

Mary Ann Wright, Associate Director

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Wayne Hedberg, Permit Supervisor

FROM:

Paul Baker, Reclamation Biologist

RE:

Request for Approval of Transfer of Notice of Intention from The Rockland Corporation to Miracle Rock Mining and Research, LLC, The Junkvard Mine.

S/015/085, Emery County, Utah

On March 12, 2002, the Division received a completed "Transfer of Notice of Intention of Small Mining Operations" form from The Rockland Corporation. The Rockland Corporation proposes to transfer The Junkyard Mine to Miracle Rock Mining and Research, LLC. The Junkyard Mine is adjacent to the Body Tody Mine which is already permitted by Miracle Rock, so the two projects will be combined into a single Notice of Intention.

Both mines are small mining operations, so the Division does not hold a reclamation bond for either. The operator's survey indicates the total disturbance for the two mines combined is less than 5 acres.

If you are in agreement with the transfer of this mining project, please sign and date the enclosed transfer form. We will then send a letter releasing The Rockland Corporation, the old operator, from any further reclamation responsibility at the site. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

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Enclosure: Transfer

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